

Board Policy Title:

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Pima Community College ("College") invests in adult basic education classes and services, so that Pima County residents who need to improve their basic skills in reading, writing, math, and the English language and prepare for a High School Equivalency Diploma can achieve their college and career goals and increasingly matriculate to college-level studies.

Success in Adult Basic Education is a proven gateway to higher education that helps increase student enrollment, persistence, and completion of certificates and associates degrees. Adult Basic Education provides the foundational skills that help individuals and families succeed in college and become self-sufficient, which plays a direct role in promoting business growth and increasing taxable revenues.

Adult Basic Education's rigorous standards-based curriculum and instruction in math, reading, writing, and the English language includes programming from basic literacy to college-readiness level.